



Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics

Towards Providing Micro Data for Public Use CD-ROM Violence Survey in the Palestinian Society 2011

As another step towards the implementation of its dissemination strategy, the Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics (PCBS) has started to provide micro data for public use on CD-ROM. A user friendly CD-ROM of micro data has been prepared for each household or enterprise survey conducted by PCBS. This CD-ROM contains the micro data for public use from Violence Survey in the Palestinian Society 2011.

By taking this step of releasing micro data through PUF, we aim at maximizing utilization of PCBS data by various stakeholders

About the Violence Survey in the Palestinian Society 2011:

PCBS has conducted a specialized national survey regarding Violence in the Palestinian Society. This survey is the second of its kind to be conducted nationwide to study this phenomenon that inside and outside individuals of households are subject to, during the year 2011.

The survey was implemented on a household total sample of 5,811 households in the Palestinian territory in the third quarter of year 2011 for the purpose of

providing data of comprehensive and representative statistics about violence in the Palestinian territory mainly against women, youth, children, elderly and male spouses.

This survey was aimed to:

- Update data about the phenomenon of all kinds of violence against individuals inside the Palestinian society whether they were women who were previously married or spouses or single individuals (males or females) or children and elderly.
- Recognize other types of violence that is practiced against eligible individuals in the survey by the occupation forces and settlers .
- Provide data on demographic and economical characteristics.
- Assist planers and policy makers designing strategies and policies that will contribute to the reduction of violence inside the Palestinian society.
- Provide feedback to the institutions of civil society on the quality of the service offered to the victims of violence.

Data Type and Size:

The data set of the Violence Survey in the Palestinian Society - 2011 includes raw data pertinent to many subjects. By presenting the data of this survey, we hope to have been useful in terms of providing reliable and useful statistics for Palestinian planners and decision-makers

Database includes survey of violence in Palestinian society, 2011, which was implemented during the data collection period 3-30/07/2011, responsive to a sample of households in the survey, has a volume of 5.188 responsive family of all the provinces and at the level of the Palestinian territories.

Micro Data Beneficiaries:

Many users are expected to benefit from the data set of the Violence in the Palestinian Society Survey 2011. At the top of these users are governmental institutions and concern ministries such as Ministry of Women Affairs, Ministry of Social Affairs, PLC and

Palestinian Cabinet among others, in addition, Women Centers, research centers and academics, beside the international agencies specially UNDP, UNICEF and UNFPA.

Data Confidentiality:

Data compiled in the context of Violence in the Palestinian Society Survey 2011 involve individual and personal data. The confidentiality of such data is honored and safeguarded in accordance with Article (17) of the Palestinian General Statistical Law of 2000, which stipulates “All individual information and data submitted to the Bureau for statistical purposes shall be treated as confidential and shall not be divulged, in whole or in part, to any individual or to a public or private body, or used for any purpose other than for preparing statistical tables”.

How to Obtain Data Treated for Public Use:

The aforementioned database shall be accessible by institutions and individuals. To obtain a copy of data from the Violence Survey in the Palestinian Society 2011 on a CD-ROM format, interested institutions and individuals should contact the PCBS's Dissemination and Documentation Dept. Division of Users Services located in the PCBS main office in Ramallah:

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